

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 070-07 904 CAMINO VIEJO MODIFICATION AUGUST 29, 2007

<u>APPLICATION OF PETER BECKER ARCHITECT FOR CHRISTINE GARVEY, 904 CAMINO VIEJO, APN 015-060-048, A-2 ZONE, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: 2 UNITS/ACRE, (MST2006-00652)</u>

The 6.6 acre site is currently developed with a 4,600 square foot single-family residence, detached two-car garage, a 266 square foot pool cabana, and a 917 square foot lath house. The proposed project involves conversion of the existing garage to habitable space and the construction of an attached two-car garage for the residence. The discretionary application required for the project is a <u>Modification</u> to permit accessory space in excess of 500 square feet (SBMC§28.87.160).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Guidelines Section 15305.

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

WHEREAS, no one appeared to speak in favor of the application, and one person appeared to speak in opposition thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

- 1. Staff Report with Attachments, August 22, 2007.
- 2. Site Plans

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer:

Approved the project by making the findings that the Modification to allow accessory in excess of 500 square feet consisting of: a) a 917 square foot lath house; b) 500 square foot detached garage conversion; and c) 266 square foot pool house, is necessary to secure an appropriate improvement which is not out of scale with the size of the lot, and that the purpose and intent of the Ordinance to limit the amount of accessory space in appropriate proportion to a lot of this size.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 29th day of August, 2007 by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.

Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary

Date

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PLEASE BE ADVISED:

- 1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
- 2. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
- 3. Subsequent to the outcome of any appeal action your next administrative step should be to apply for Architectural Board of Review (ABR) approval and then a building permit.
- 4. PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit. The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
- 5. <u>NOTICE OF APPROVAL TIME LIMITS</u>: The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
 - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
 - b. The approved use has not been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
 - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
 - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.